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Advisory Action

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09/626,824

Applicant(s)

PARK, SEOK-HYO

Examiner

TAN TRINH

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THE REPLY FILED FAILS TO PLACE THIS APPLICATION IN CONDITION FOR ALLOWANCE. Therefore, further action by the applicant is required to avoid abandonment of this application. A proper reply to a final rejection under 37 CFR 1.113 may only be either: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114.

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- a) ☐ The period for reply expires _____ months from the mailing date of the final rejection.
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1. ☐ A Notice of Appeal was filed on _____. Appellant's Brief must be filed within the period set forth in 37 CFR 1.192(a), or any extension thereof (37 CFR 1.191(d)), to avoid dismissal of the appeal.
2. ☐ The proposed amendment(s) will not be entered because:
- (a) ☐ they raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search (see NOTE below);
 - (b) ☐ they raise the issue of new matter (see Note below);
 - (c) ☐ they are not deemed to place the application in better form for appeal by materially reducing or simplifying the issues for appeal; and/or
 - (d) ☐ they present additional claims without canceling a corresponding number of finally rejected claims.

NOTE: _____

3. ☐ Applicant's reply has overcome the following rejection(s): _____.
4. ☐ Newly proposed or amended claim(s) _____ would be allowable if submitted in a separate, timely filed amendment canceling the non-allowable claim(s).
5. ☒ The a) ☐ affidavit, b) ☐ exhibit, or c) ☒ request for reconsideration has been considered but does NOT place the application in condition for allowance because: See Continuation Sheet.
6. ☐ The affidavit or exhibit will NOT be considered because it is not directed SOLELY to issues which were newly raised by the Examiner in the final rejection.
7. ☐ For purposes of Appeal, the proposed amendment(s) a) ☐ will not be entered or b) ☐ will be entered and an explanation of how the new or amended claims would be rejected is provided below or appended.

The status of the claim(s) is (or will be) as follows:

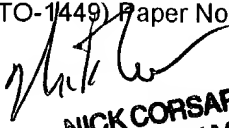
Claim(s) allowed: _____

Claim(s) objected to: _____

Claim(s) rejected: _____

Claim(s) withdrawn from consideration: _____

8. ☐ The drawing correction filed on _____ is a) ☐ approved or b) ☐ disapproved by the Examiner.
9. ☐ Note the attached Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449) Paper No(s). _____
10. ☒ Other: _____


NICK CORSARO
PRIMARY EXAMINER

Continuation Sheet:

Response to Arguments

1. Applicant's arguments filed 07-15-2004 have been fully considered but they are not persuasive.

Applicant's arguments, the Son reference is using voice commands are spoken into the phone and respective operations are carried out according to the voice commands received, and Son is directed to a system and method for enabling a communication device to accepted a voice command from a user. There is not section of Son that teaches the user registers the voice commands in the communication device.

Response to Arguments:

The examiner does not agree. Since Son teaches the user register with the voice commands in the communication device by programmed (user registered) the communication device to "listen for" the special command word in user' speech, the special code word can be selected by the user as his or her personal code word to enter the voice command mode, The user can select a word that is unlikely to come up during conversation, such as, for example, "Abercrombie" Although any word can be selected in the user register for entry into the voice command mode (see Son col. 8, lines 45-56).

Therefore, the reference of Son is teaching the user register with the voice commands entry to the communication device.

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Conclusion

2. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

Barkat (U.S. Patent No. 5,805,672) discloses accessory voice operated unit for a cellular telephone.

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Nay Maung, can be reached at (703) 308-7745.


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Tan H. Trinh 
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October 4, 2004


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